

SOCIETY

WILLING HELPERS' SOCIABLE.
Rain prevented the Willing Helpers of the First Swedish Lutheran church from holding their ice cream sociable on the parsonage lawn last evening and the affair was held instead in the church annex. There was a good crowd and a nice sum was realized for the church.

RAIN PREVENTS JAPANESE SOCIABLE.
The class of young women at South Park Presbyterian church taught by Miss Selma Samuelson had arranged for a Japanese sociable to have been held on the church lawn last evening but because of the inclement weather the Japanese feature was eliminated and the affair was held in the church parlors. Ice cream and cake were served and the company had a jolly good time together with games and sociability.

SUNBEAM SOCIETY WITH MRS. MILTON.
Mrs. Arthur Milton at her home 4211 Seventh avenue entertained twelve members of the Sunbeam society of Zion Lutheran church yesterday afternoon.

The girls brought their fancy work and after sewing awhile musical numbers were given and then games were played. Mrs. Milton served refreshments and the company enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

GRACE CHURCH PICNIC.
The annual outing of the Sunday school of Grace Lutheran church was held at Long View park yesterday. A car conveyed the children to the park and they had dinner there, many of the parents and older people coming for the afternoon and evening and bringing provisions for supper. The rain interfered with the pleasures of the day, but all had a good time in spite of it.

MRS. BERTELSEN, HOSTESS.
Mrs. John Bertelsen at her home, 1931 Seventeenth street yesterday afternoon acted as hostess to the ladies of the German Evangelical church, 69 of whom were her guests during the afternoon. The hostess had planned a lawn sociable but the rain drove the company indoors. Quantities of garden flowers and asparagus ferns trimmed the rooms and they were delighted.

fully cool and attractive. In a guessing contest prizes were awarded to Mrs. Schroeder, Mrs. Murrin and Mrs. H. Blecker. Mrs. Arthur Burrell gave a number of vocal selections. Ice cream and cake were served and the proceeds will be given to the church. In the evening a number of the young people were guests, spending the evening with games. Miss Otilia Vogel entertained with piano numbers and Miss Katherine Stauduhar sang.

SPENCER METHODIST CHURCH PICNIC.
The pupils of the Spencer Memorial Methodist Sunday school went to Long View park yesterday for their annual outing, a car load going out in time for dinner. The rain in the afternoon drove many of them home, a few remaining for supper.

W. O. W. DANCING PARTY.
Seventy-five couples attended the private dancing party given at the Watch Tower inn last evening by camp 85, Woodmen of the World. Bleur's orchestra gave the dance program. The next of the series of parties will be held at the Tower Thursday, July 30.

GRADUATE NURSES AT PARK.
The monthly meeting of the Graduate Nurses' association was held yesterday afternoon at the baby welfare station in Prospect park, Moline. After the transaction of routine business Mrs. Josephine Barnhardt of Moline gave a very interesting talk on the work among the poor whites in the Tennessee mountains, telling of the efforts that are being made to revive the old industries such as weaving, pottery, chair making, etc. During a pleasant social hour light refreshments were served.

MISSISS TITTERINGTON HOSTESSES AT TEA.
The Misses Beryl and Adria Titterington entertained at a delightful tea yesterday from 4 to 6 at their home, 816 Twenty-second street, for Miss Nell Faulk of Geneseo and Miss Hilary Forsberg of Moline. Sixty thirty young women were the guests and they spent the time in informal sociability. Baskets and bowls of sweet peas, nasturtiums and ferns made the rooms very attractive and pleasant. A collation was served during the afternoon, the hostesses being assisted by the Misses Martha Foss, Josephine Sheldon and Charlotte Schneider. Miss Mary Crisman of Minneapolis, who is visiting Miss Sheldon, was a guest of the afternoon.

TO CELEBRATE 45TH ANNIVERSARY.
The Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Weed of Monmouth, well known in this community, had their 45th wedding anniversary celebrated for them by 30 friends who gathered Tuesday evening at their home and spent a pleasant time, the function necessarily being a quiet one owing to Mrs. Weed's ill health. They were presented with a set of knives and forks and a picnic supper was served on the lawn. The favors of the occasion were given by the Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Weed.

DINNER FOR BEN GREET.
Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Putnam of Davenport entertained last evening at dinner for Ben Greet, who was here with the Woodland Players. A few friends were invited for the evening the company then going to the play at the Outing club. The previous evening Mr. and Mrs. Putnam also entertained for Mr. Greet after the performance of "The Tempest." Mr. Putnam and Mr. Greet were schoolmates at Leland Stanford university and have been close friends ever since.

MATHERVILLE
Miss Elsie Budford, a well known young lady of this place, died at St. Anthony's hospital at Rock Island early Sunday morning. Miss Budford was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago. She will be sadly missed by her many young friends and her bereaved parents and other relatives. Deceased was born at Gilchrist and moved to Matherville about four years ago. She was 20 years old at the time of her death. Funeral services were held from her home Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment was made in Viola cemetery.

Reduction Pencil Sale of Corsets
M. & K.'s corset department is without question the largest and best in the tri-cities. Nothing but the most wanted kinds have found a place there. All corsets are priced savingly now.

SUCCESSOR CORSETS.
4.00 values at 2.49
3.00 values at 2.15
2.50 values at 1.95
AMERICAN LADY.
2.50 values at 1.95
3.00 values at 2.15
NEMO CORSETS.
3.00 values at 1.95
4.00 values at 2.49
5.00 values at 3.49
MADAME IRENE.
5.00 values at 2.49
7.50 values at 3.69
10.00 values at 4.89

M&K
Head-to-Foot Outfitters
For Man, Woman & Child
Rock Island, Ill.

Monmouth Review of Wednesday gives the following account of the lives of this estimable couple since their marriage:

Mr. and Mrs. Weed were married at Rock Island, in the United Presbyterian church, Dr. Henry Wallace officiating and being assisted by the Rev. William J. McAllister. Mrs. Weed's maiden name was Mary Jane Davidson, and she came from New York. Mr. Weed was then preaching at Colona, where he had been for two years. After the wedding the couple went to Indiana for a honeymoon trip. The church at Colona was just being built, and the bell for the church arrived just before the couple returned. When they landed from the train the bell had been placed in position in the steeple and was ringing out a welcome to the pastor and his bride.

"There was no house in which the couple could move, and they occupied rooms over a store, where Mr. Weed had been carrying on a select school and a singing school. The family have resided here for the last 12 years."

HOSTESS TO CINCH CLUB.
Mrs. Walter Grotgut was the hostess yesterday afternoon to the members of her cinch club, 534 tables being played at her home, 534 Michigan avenue, South Rock Island. In the card games Miss Emma Behrens took the head prize, Mrs. Ed Johnson, second, and Mrs. J. F. McCarron, the all-out favor. Lunch was served at the small tables after the games. Mrs. C. Baker, 2508 Sixth avenue, will entertain the club in two weeks.

CLASS ENTERTAINED AT SUMMER COTTAGE.
Miss Florence Spaulding entertained 24 members of the golden rule bible class of the First Methodist church last evening at the Battles summer cottage on the Watch Tower line. A short business session was held followed by a social hour during which refreshments were served, and games played. The evening was a most enjoyable one.

BUSY BEE SEWING SOCIETY.
A large number of the members of the Busy Bee Sewing society was entertained yesterday by Mrs. Charles Hedberg, 914 Fourteenth and a half street. Instead of sewing carpet rags the ladies tore them and completed with fringe the rugs already made. At the business session it was decided to hold the next meeting Tuesday, Aug. 4, afternoon and evening, the families to be their guests for supper.

IN HONOR OF BIRTHDAY.
Yesterday was the 24th birthday of Carl Ed and the anniversary was celebrated at his home, 2534 Fifth avenue, when a company of 15 friends were invited to spend the evening. The time was passed with music and informal sociability and a lunch was served. Mr. Ed's uncle and aunt and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bloom, and Harry and Ray Bloom of Longmont, Colo., were guests of the evening. The host was left with a number of gifts.

HOSTESS AT BRIDGE PARTY.
Miss Dorothea Vollmer at her home on Brady street, Davenport, was hostess last evening at a party when five tables of auction bridge were played. Favorable card games went to Miss Frances Mueller, Will Allen and Fred Mitchell of this city. A buffet luncheon was served. Miss Dorothy Funk, who is the guest of Miss Dow, was a guest of the evening.

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Cable News.
Mrs. John McNeil was a visitor in Cable Sunday.
Miss Isabelle Vipont of Minnesota has arrived here or an extended visit.
A. R. Stein has traded his auto to Gust Anderson for the house which Mr. Anderson now occupies. Mr. Anderson.

Of Interest to Mothers
The Argus has secured the publication rights to a series of 10 articles on "What Every Mother Wants to Know About Her Baby," written by Anna Stearns Richardson, director of the better babies bureau of the Woman's Home Companion. These articles are based on questions asked by mothers who have turned to the Woman's Home Companion for assistance in the difficult and delicate task of rearing their babies. Each question presented and answered was asked not by one, but by many mothers. The first article of the series will be printed in Saturday's issue of The Argus.—Editor Argus.

THE STORE FOR ALL THE PEOPLE
YOUNG & McCOMBS
Cooperative Store Co. Rock Island, Ill.

Summer Dresses In a Glorious Profusion of Charming Effects

This opportunity surely carries an appeal which will reach those of you who have wanted a beautiful summer Dress at a cost which is most moderate.

These Dresses announced here are late arrivals, delayed shipments of fresh, crisp late styles. Some are Crepes and Voiles while quite a number of the new Imported Plaids are evident.

So many desirable and quite exclusive effects are shown that the choosing of a pretty dress will not be difficult, because the range of models is so broad.

In addition to the Imported Plaids you'll find stripes, flowered effects, colored voiles and Roman stripe effects; some are trimmed with silk and satin, others have silk, satin and Roman stripe Girdles.

You'll find Dresses here with white tunics and Roman striped skirts, others have beautifully colored tunics with plain and striped skirts.

Surely this is a Showing of Charming Summer Dresses of such importance that you cannot afford to miss it.

Oh, Such Pretty Waists at 59c



Good fortune, yes, it was mighty good fortune that we were able to pick up as pretty a lot of spick and span new Waists as these, at a low price.

Think of Voiles, Crepes and Plisse Crepes, trimmed with embroidery, made with Balmacaan shoulders and Gladstone Collars.

They're really the dearest Waists you ever saw at anything under 1.25, and just to think they're to go Saturday at only

59c

person also became the owner of three lots in the trade.

The Latter Day Saints enjoyed a picnic in the woods west of town Thursday.

Mrs. Louis Chamberlain of Parkersburg, Iowa, was a week end visitor here.

A large crowd from here attended the Orangemen's picnic north of Preemption Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Roseen and Mrs. Andrew Garrett and two sons were in Rock Island Friday.

Mrs. Dick Haywood was in Rock Island Tuesday to see her nephew, Thomas Gibson, who is in the hospital.

James Staden, Herman Zude and son Harold were Rock Island visitors Tuesday.

The following from here attended the funeral of Theodore Peterson in Cable Wednesday: Hugh McGonigle, Mr. and Mrs. William Caddy, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and Mrs. Fred Schroeder.

William Angus made a business trip to Aledo Thursday.

Wyndom James has arrived here from Reind where he will be employed. Matherville and Sherrard played ball here Sunday. Sherrard came out victorious, the score being 3 to 5.

Clyde Larson was a Sherrard visitor Sunday, going from there to Rock Island, returning home Monday.

Miss Anna Odgen of Aledo was a visitor here Monday.

Miss Treasurer of Cuba was a visitor at the William Thompson home the past week.

Ralph Jackson was in Monmouth Friday.

Mrs. Robert Robertson and daughter were Sherrard visitors Sunday.

W. F. Carlson made a business trip to Davenport Monday.

The Seldom Seen mine resumed work Monday, after being shut down since April.

Henry Moffit was in Peoria Sunday.

Hugh McGonigle and Charles Fruchtenicht were in Cable Tuesday.

Miller Leurs was in Springfield on business several days the past week.

Miss Bertha Johnson is visiting in Viola.



The Price Range is Surely
Appealing at

2.95
and up

White
Skirts at
2.95

New arrivals showing the newest effects in Crepes and Bedford Cords—all are white and just the sort that are now much in demand among particular women. Two lots,

3.50 and 2.95

Worshipping a Turtle.

At a place called Kotron, on the French Ivory Coast, the natives believe that to eat or destroy a turtle would mean death to the guilty one or sickness among the family. The fetich men, of which there are plenty, declare that years ago a man went to sea fishing. In the night his canoe was thrown upon the beach empty. Three days afterward a turtle came ashore at the same place with the man on its back alive and well. Since that time they have never eaten or destroyed one of that species, although they enjoy other species.

If one happens now to be washed ashore there is a great commotion in the town. First, the women sit down and start singing and beating sticks and small pieces of white cloth (color must be white) is placed on the turtle's back. Food is then prepared and placed on the cloth, generally plantains, rice and palm oil. Then, amid a lot more singing, dancing and antics of the fetich people, it is carried back into the sea and goes on its way rejoicing.

All the news all the time—The Argus.

Bed Time Tales

By Clara Ingram Judson.

A Naughty Breeze

"GOOD morning, my friend," said a little breeze as he stopped to rest under the eaves of a big building, "what have you been doing today?"

"Oh, not much of anything," replied the other breeze, "I went out in the harbor a little while and helped push those big boats out into the lake, then I ruffled up some waves for the fairies to dance on, and after that I came back to shore to rest here awhile. And what have you been doing?"

"I—well I straightened out some flags on the high buildings and I mused up some papers in an office and now I am just waiting here till I think of something I ought not to do and I'll do that."

"Dear me, that's a funny way to talk," said the good little breeze, "wouldn't you rather do something useful?"

"No indeed I wouldn't," said the bad little breeze, "I was so good yesterday I helped push a big boat of ore down from the head of the lake and I worked so hard, that I shall simply have to do something bad today. Only I can't think of anything bad enough."

"Never mind, I'll take care of you," said the good little breeze, so kindly that the bad little breeze was furious.

"Do you see that tall man down there on the sidewalk? The one with the walking stick and the black rimmed glasses? I'm going to blow his hat off—way off in the lake."

And down he darted towards the street.

breeze threw it back to the street as fast as he could.

So the breezes fought together. And a big policeman held up his hand and stopped all the automobiles and all traffic while the two



"Good Morning, my friend," said a little breeze as he stopped to rest under the eaves of a big building.

little breezes tossed the panama hat back and forth from sidewalk to street.

At last the bad little breeze—all breathless with rushing, exclaimed, "There! I feel better now. I was only fooling anyway." And he blew the hat right up to the feet of the policeman.

The policeman dropped his hand—the breezes slipped out onto the harbor and the big man with the gold topped walking stick and the black rimmed spectacles, all red and breathless from running back and forth, put on his hat and sneaked around the nearest corner.

Tomorrow—The Cross Stitch Cat.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Things Worth Knowing.
The reason that some marmalade will not jelly is probably because it has not been boiled enough. Marmalade needs a great deal more boiling than jam. It requires from two and a half to three hours.

When baking small cakes or buns, flour the tin instead of greasing them. The cakes will not stick to the tins, and will bake quite as well.

The Table.
Flour Fruit Jam.—Five pint boxes of red raspberries, three quart boxes of currants, one pound best table raisins (seeded), three-quarter pound granulated sugar to one pound of fruit; grated rind and juice of two oranges. Cook until it will jelly. Put in jelly glasses.

Jam for Cold Meats.—One quart blackberries, one quart gooseberries, three-quarter pound granulated sugar to one pound of fruit. Cook until it will jelly. Put in jelly glasses.

Pear Conserve.—Five pounds pears chopped or cut in small pieces, five pounds sugar. Let it stand over night. In the morning add one pound seeded raisins, three oranges, the juice, and cut the rind in small pieces, juice and grated rind of four lemons. Cook until it will jelly and just before taking off add one-quarter pound English walnuts broken in small pieces.

Currant and Raspberry Jelly.—Pick over currants, but do not remove stems, wash and drain. Pick over raspberries. Use equal parts of currants and raspberries. Mash a few in the bottom of preserving kettle, using a wooden potato masher; continue until fruit is all used. Heat slowly to boiling point and measure. Return to kettle, add an equal amount of sugar (heated) and stir until thoroughly mixed. Again bring to boiling point and let simmer 40 minutes. Store in tumblers or stone jars. Blackberry jam may be made the same way.

String Beans.—String two quarts of beans. Wash and boil until tender in salted water. When tender, drain, and put in stew pan over the fire until all moisture has disappeared. Add four tablespoons of butter, five drops of onion juice and the juice of one large lemon. Keep moving the stew pan. (Do not use a spoon to stir the beans as it breaks the beans.) Serve hot.

Sour-milk Pancakes.—Sift together one pint of flour, a saltspoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of soda. Add gradually a scant pint of sour milk or cream, beating until bubbly. Bake on a very hot griddle. Some cooks prefer to mix the sour milk with the flour overnight, adding salt and soda in the morning. A well-beaten egg may be added, if desired.